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The Sulu Treaty by Oratorical Efforts in the Senate.

Both Slavery and Polygamy

As Authorized by the McKinley Administration Were Denounced by Pettigrew, Who Opposed Bates' Confirmation Because He Negotiated Treaty.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The senate held two executive sessions, with the result that all the presidential nominations to the office of brigadier general were confirmed. The nominations which caused discussion were those of Generals Bates, Wood, Grant and Bell. Senator Pettigrew criticised General Bates' nomination because that official had negotiated the Sulu treaty, which treaty he attacked sharply. Senators Teller and Rawlins also joined in the criticism of the Sulu treaty. They referred especially to its recognition of the institutions of slavery and polygamy, which they claimed was repugnant to the tastes of the people of this country as well as to the constitution. The criticism of General Wood was confined to the fact that his military record is not extended.

In the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 14.—When the senate convened the blind chaplain made a beautiful and touching reference to the death of Mrs. Thomas C. Platt, wife of the senator from New York. During the greater part of the day the senate was engaged in executive session and in the counting of the electoral vote for the president and vice president of the United States. Consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill was resumed, but little progress was made. The District of Columbia bill was also read.

In the House.

Washington, Feb. 14. — The house devoted some time to the sundry civil appropriation bill. General debate upon this measure was completed, but little actual progress was made with the bill. During the debate the opposition opened a general assault upon the extravagance of the present congress. Messrs. Bell of Colorado, Richardson of Tennessee and Cochran of Missouri in turn making speeches. Messrs. Cannon of Illinois and Moody of Massachusetts defended the record of congress in the matter of appropriations.

Canvass of the Electoral Vote.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The ceremony of counting the electoral vote for president and vice president cast at the election in November took place in the hall of the house of representatives at a joint session of the house and senate. Senator Chandler announced the total number of votes cast as 447, of which McKinley and Roosevelt received 292 and Bryan and Stevenson 155. McKinley and Roosevelt were thereupon officially declared elected, each for the term beginning March 4, 1901.

Names of New Warships.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Connecticut, Louisiana, Tennessee and Washington have been selected as the names of the four warships authorized by the house and the bill for the construction of which is now pending in the senate. Secretary Long informed a large and influential delegation from Tennessee, who called to ask that one of the ships be named after that state, that these names had been selected by the department and would be assigned to new ships in the order of authorization.

Recruited to the Limit.

Washington, Feb. 14.—According to the present plans of the war department the army is to be recruited to its full authorized strength of 100,000 men. The regular army now consists of about 67,000 men, including the troops in the Philippines, so that the new enlistments are limited to about 33,000 men. Over 400 recruits were obtained last week, and it is expected that much better progress will be made when all the recruiting agencies are in full operation.

After Information.

Washington, Feb. 14. — A dispatch received at the state department from Venezuela says that the United States steamer Scorpion is now on her way to La Guayra from the mouth of the Orinoco river. She has been some distance up that river, not, it is explained, for the purpose of interfering in the asphalt controversy, but with a view to securing information much needed by the state department.

Liquor, Guns and Opium.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Chairman Sperry of the house committee on alcoholic liquor traffic, submitted a favorable report on the bill restricting the sale of firearms, opium and liquor to the aboriginal natives of the Pacific islands. The report quotes from a letter by ex-President Harrison favoring the proposed restriction.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Statement of treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption: Available cash balance, $143,414,127; gold, $75,858,964.

A BIG AUDIENCE

Heard Judge Hollister Deliver His Opinion in the Prize Fight Matter.

Cincinnati, Feb. 14.—Great crowds wended their way to the court house in anticipation of the decision of Judge Hollister in the prize fight injunction case this morning. The lawyers for the state said the court would take cognizance of the threatened situation as a public nuisance and stop it with an air tight injunction. Those for the defense arerred that the court would hold that he had no jurishdiction in the premises and would relegate the matter to somebody under section 7117 to arrest the fighters and all concerned in the affair. Judge Hollister decided that the proposed contest is a prize fight under the law and in fact, and that in its results it would constitute a public nuisance which the court, as a court of equity has full power to enjoin. He then granted the injunction. The people who opposed the fight are jubilant over the decision, while the spirits of those who had hoped to see the contest pulled off have fallen. The Saengerfest Athletic club representatives have declared all along through its counsel that if an injunction was allowed it would obey the court as a matter of course and take the matter to the circuit or supreme courts. A special session of the legislature looms up as a possibility in case no other means is had to prevent the fight.

LOOKING FOR AN HEIRESS.

Canal Dover, Feb. 14.—A search is being made for Anna Snedicker, a nine year old girl who has fallen heir to $50,000 by the will of an aunt. She was a child of humble parents and came here with her adopted father Jas. Scott, three years ago. If not found within a certain time the money will go to charity.

HOW DOES HE KNOW?

London, Feb. 14.—In his speech to parliment the King said the fruitless Guerilla warfare of the Boers would soon cease so that he could maintain equal rights for whites and justice to native population. He announced that the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall would visit Australia and Canada in the near future.

THERE WILL BE NO FIGHT.

Judge Hollister Declares the Jeffries-Ruhlin Contest to be a Public Nuisance.

He Declares He Has Competent Jurisdiction in the Case and Grants the Injunction Asked for by Those Opposed to the Fight--Troops Will Not be Sent.

Cincinnati, Feb. 14.--Judge Hollister to-day decided to grant the injunction asked for against the Jeffries-Ruhlin prize fight. There will be no fight to-morrow night. Judge Hollister declares the fight a nuisance and says he has jurisdiction in the matter.

UPDYKE,

Who is Conducting a Revival

Out in the Indiana Coal Regions,

Has a Convert Who Says He Has Killed Three Men and Stolen Ninety-eight Horses in Texas.

Brazil, Ind., Feb. 14. — During the services conducted by Evangelist Updyke, among the number who made a confession of faith was James Todd, who says he has stolen 98 horses and killed three men. Todd has been working for some time on the interior decorations of a new church. He has been attending the revival services at the Christian church for several nights and it was noticed that he sat and wept throughout the services. Todd related that he had led a wild career for many years in Texas, but now repented his sins and wanted to be reconciled to his Maker.

A Professor's Theory.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 14.—M. L. Pence, professor of physics in the Kentucky college here, announced a brilliant new theory on terrestrial magnetism in a very lengthy paper read before the faculty of that college. It is believed that it will go far toward emphasizing the Tesla claim of receiving signals from other planets. The main tenet of the theory is centralized in the belief that ether is a form of electricity, that the earth and other bodies being permeated with it, communication is facilitated thereby.

Capital Increased.

Ashtabula, O., Feb. 14.—The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania and Ohio Railway company was held in this city, and it was decided to increase the capital stock from $100,000 to $600,000. Material for the extension of the electric line from Conneaut to this city is now being delivered, and actual construction is to begin about March 1.

Half a Million Blaze.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 14.—The Kimberly paper mills of the Kimberly & Clark company, four miles from this city, valued at $1,200,000, were damaged by fire to the extent of $500,000. The finishing rooms, print mill, three machine rooms and a number of other buildings are a total loss. The plant will be rebuilt. The origin of the fire is a mystery, having, it is supposed, started under the floor of one of the machine rooms.

Boiler Blew Up.

Celina, O., Feb. 14.—An old boiler in the sawmill of C. Boudell at Chickasaw, 10 miles south of Celina, blew up, killing one person instantly and seriously injuring three. The mill was run by Charles Desh and three sons, Jacob, August and John. John Desh's head was crushed and his body badly scalded, killing him instantly. The other three were injured by flying debris and scalded badly. It is thought that all may die.

Verdict of Murder.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 14. — The jury brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree against John Chapman, charged with the murder of Constable Bain, who was burned to death in Chapman's saloon in this city Dec. 3, 1900. The state court of appeals affirmed the death sentence against Tobias Garnot of Sherman, convicted of wife-murder.

Snow in Texas.

Denison, Tex., Feb. 14.—All north Texas and southern Indian Territory are white with snow. It was preceded with a slow, drizzling rain and will be good for the wheat crops.

MOBS

Were Charged by the Troops.

Broken Heads

And Arrests Were the Portion of Many

Who Participated in Riots of the Past Week in Spain.

The Newspapers Are Muzzled Because the Authorities Wish to Conceal the Situation in the Kingdom.

Madrid, Feb. 14.—With nightfall every approach to the Puerta Del Sol was jammed with the idle populace. Insulting remarks were hurled at the police and the civil guards. A trumpeter sounded a charge, which was made with swords drawn. Heads were not spared, many persons were injured and numerous arrests made. The scattering crowds sought the shops and hotels. All the front doors of the Hotel de Paris were smashed in and a great crowd assembled there. The police and guards charged into the streets leading to the Puerta Del Sol, but the dispersed throngs quickly reassembled.

In the Rue Mentera some serious stone-throwing occurred. Flower pots and other missiles were thrown from the balconies at policemen, several of whom were injured. One boy is said to have been killed. The police were obliged to call mounted gendarmes, who charged and dispersed the rioters.

Later fresh riots took place at several points. The gendarmes charged with drawn swords and a number were wounded. These were carried into the pharmacies and cafes. The demonstrators replied to the charges of the gendarmes with showers of stones.

The authorities have warned the newspapers that they must abstain from criticisms of acts of the royal family or the publication of news or comments calculated to fan the present agitation.

Effervescence continues, however, at Barcelona and Garanda, where the gendarmes have been reinforced. At Malaga anti-clerical demonstrators stoned a newspaper office and a policeman was wounded by a revolver shot.

Convent Sacked.

Madrid, Feb. 14.—There were very serious disorders in Santander. Thousands of rioters attacked several convents, the bishop's palace and the Jesuits' establishments, and forced an entry into the Carmelite convent, where they looted everything and set fire to the building. The gendarmes arrived in time to extinguish the flames before much damage was done. A number of persons were injured on both sides.

Militia Boys In Readiness.

Kenton, O., Feb. 14.—Company I of this city is in readiness to go to Cincinnati. Arrangements for transportation have been completed. The Second and Sixth are the regiments selected and they will go as soon as the decision of Judge Hollister is made. The regiment will mobilize at Lima. The Eighth Ohio, which served in the Spanish-American war, is also under arms and ready to go to Cincinnati at once.

LEAD PIPE

Was Instrument That Was Used

To Beat a Woman Into Insensibility.

A Crime Committed in a Prominent Place by a Desperate Thug Who Was Bent on Robbery.

New York, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Louise A. Pryor, wife of Dr. W. R. Pryor, who is a son of ex-Judge Roger A. Pryor, was struck on the head by a piece of lead pipe and robbed as she was ascending the steps of a streetcar tunnel in this city. Mrs. Pryor had several hundred dollars' worth of diamonds and some money in her purse when she was struck. She fought bravely and managed to escape with a cut on the head, when she was half-stunned by a blow from the lead pipe. Patrick Hayes, 24, has been arrested and charged with the crime. Mrs. Pryor's purse was found in his possession.

Sale of the Danish Antilles.

Copenhagen, Feb. 14. — The crown prince of Denmark, it is said, opposes the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. He favors the plan of the syndicate which desires to invest capital in the islands and to develop them. At a meeting of representatives of the budget committee and the syndicate, a compromise was agreed upon to the effect that, if the matter has not been settled with the United States before March 4, the budget committee is to reject the sale and to support the scheme of the syndicate.

Wandered in the Mountains.

Pittsburg, Feb. 14.—Albert Pitcairn, president of the Third National bank of Pittsburg, the American Insurance company and Versailles street railway, while temporarily demented from overwork, wandered from the Markleton sanitarium and spent the night in the Allegheny mountains. When found his hands, feet and ears were badly frozen. He was taken back to the sanitarium and is in a serious condition.

A Block Consumed.

Massillon, O., Feb. 14.—Fire destroyed five buildings belonging to David Jones, Peter Wilhelm, John Sheehan and Mrs. Louise Winold, and which were occupied by the John Gows company, hardware; J. R. Porter, dry goods; H. R. Hint, shoes; Worth & Lux's grocery and two saloons. The fire originated in the grocery. A stiff northwest wind made it difficult to fight the fire. Total loss $30,000.

Smallpox Raging.

Peoria, Ills., Feb. 14.—Word from Trivoli, this county, announces that the public schools have been closed because of smallpox. Two new cases developed at St. David, Fulton county, and 10 extra policemen were appointed to guard all roads leading into the town to prevent all ingress and egress of people of that vicinity.

The Wounded Minister.

New York, Feb. 14.—It is said that Rev. Mr. Keller, the victim of Thomas G. Barker's shot, is physically in no worse condition than he has been at any time since he was shot. Should he live, however, he will probably be blind, the physicians having practically given up hope of saving his remaining eye.

Seven Workmen Burned.

Pittsburg, Feb. 14.—A "hang" in the furnace of the Thompson steel plant at Braddock let go, burning Laughlin McLaughlin fatally and six others (Slavs, names unknown) seriously. The others may possibly recover.

CROAKING

Is Not Exactly to the Liking of the Boxer Leaders.

Decline to Commit Suicide.

Their Unreasonable Refusal Places the Government in an Embarrassing Situation. Emperor Hoped His Subjects Would Shuffle Off.

Peking, Feb. 14.—At least three of the Chinese to whom Emperor Kwang Su sent a choice of suicide in pursuance of the demand of the powers for their punishment with death have declined to comply, and the emperor has withdrawn his request that they should destroy themselves. His majesty now telegraphs Prince Ching that when he agreed to the terms of the joint note, the latter only required that the punishment should fit the crime, and he argues that if the worst of the guilty deserve death, the others should be banished. The foreign envoys, on the contrary, say that even those who are least guilty deserve death, and as there is no worse punishment, all must suffer that penalty, although if China should ask to make distinctions regarding crimes, she can sentence the worst either to quartering or to some other forms of Chinese execution.

Unless the court changes its views no immediate settlement is possible.

Aid For Famine Victims.

Shanghai, Feb. 14.—The governor of the province of Shen Si is appealing for aid in behalf of 4,000,000 inhabitants of the famine-stricken districts.

Woodmen of the World.

Cleveland, Feb. 14.—The convention of the Woodmen of the World, jurisdiction of Ohio, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, has closed. Louis Stoffel of Cleveland was elected head consul and one of the delegates to the sovereign camp which will be held in Columbus in May. Other officers elected were: J. K. Fisher, Braddock, Pa., head adviser; J. L. Clark, Fremont, O., head banker; C. E. Walker, Johnstown, Pa., head clerk; Edward Lauman, Toledo, head escort; August Mull, Warren, Pa., head watchman; B. W. Peck, Erie, Pa., head sentry. The next convention meets in Cory, Pa., in 1903.

Boer Loss.

Durban, Natal, Feb. 14.—The Boer losses, when they were attacked by General French at Ermelo last week, are said to have been 40 man killed and 200 made prisoners.

A WILD SCRAMBLE

For Positions of Vantage to See the New King and Queen.

London, Feb. 14.—Peers and Peeresses forgot precedent and dignity and fell over each others crimson robes in a wild scramble for places in the house of Lords to see parliament opened by King Edward today. According to the ancient custom, the cellars of parliament were searched for a possible modern Guy Fawkes, then King Edward entered with his Queen and sat on the gem studded throne. The place glittered with uniforms and decorations but the Queen and royal ladies were in dull black. The royal party arrived about 2 o'clock in the antique state coach built for George III. They were cheered on their way by the immense crowds which filled the streets. The King and Queen donned their crimson robes of state and mounted the throne while everybody bowed low. When the members of the house of commons arrived before the King, they had to fight their way through the crowd and made a very undignified entrance, rushing in like school boys all out of breath.

Maybe He Will Apply His Ohio Method.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Perry Heath said today that Hanna would take a hand in the senatorial dead locks in Delaware, Nebraska and Oregon. He will insist as chairman of the national committee that factional differences must cease to prevent the defeat of Republican senators.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

Katherine Becker, 70, killed by a train at Columbus, O.

Henry C. Bates of Vermont appointed judge in the Philippines.

William Brigham of Chagrin Falls, O., has a gander 100 years old.

E. H. Eckert's livery barn at Coshocton, O., burned. Loss, $10,000.

Oil house of steel works at Bellaire, O., destroyed by fire. Loss, $3,000.

Mrs. Carrie Nation to edit the Peoria (Ills.) Journal one day, Feb. 26.

Cigarmakers of Sanchez & Hay factory, Tampa, Fla., went on strike for pay for enforced idleness.

Fire destroyed department store of Sharpe & Roberts, largest block in Murphysboro, Ills. Loss, $41,000.

Charles Carroll Mann, 72, retired broker and Democratic politician at Philadelphia, suicided. Ill health.

Joseph H. Choate, ambassador to England, declines to affirm or deny the report that President McKinley has offered him the office of attorney general.

Carter Up Against It.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 14.—Ex-Captain Oberlin M. Carter's local attorneys received word that should the prisoner be released on bail by the federal court here Friday, when his appeal will come up, he will immediately be rearrested. John H. Atwood, Carter's attorney, said that officers are on their way here to arrest him and prevent his being taken to Savannah, Ga., where he would, he says, demand a civil trial. It is the intention of these officers, it is alleged, to take Carter to New York.

Floating Ice.

New York, Feb. 14.—Floating ice in the East and North rivers and the bay greatly interferes with navigation. Twenty tugs, the Ellis Island ferry boat John G. Carlisle, the Liberty Island boat Bay Ridge and the ocean liner Concho all stuck fast in the ice. The Robert Garrett of the Staten Island ferry was caught off the battery with three or four hundred passengers aboard, but subsequently effected a landing. The Montauk wedged in the ice in midstream and her 1,400 passengers were taken off by tugs.

Evidence of Another Wreck.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 14.—It is now feared that another wreck has occurred, in this case a sailing vessel, as a spar belonging to a three-masted schooner drifted ashore at Black Head with other wreckage which could not have belonged to the Lucerne. This adds to the depression, because the wreck may be a local fish-carrying craft, whose loss has involved the lives of another 8 or 10 residents of St. Johns.

AN ICE BLOCKADE.

New York, Feb. 14.—The ice blockade in the rivers and bay is worse than ever today. Traffic is almost suspended in the harbor, only a few of the ferries being able to keep boats running. The business losses promise to be enormous.

UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

Madrid, Feb. 14.—The city has been proclaimed in a state of seige and is under control of the military. This was decided on after the riots of last night.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. S. CRITES, of German township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. M. WATT, of Jackson township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of M. SUMMERS, JR., of Marion township as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB KISSEL, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY VAN GUNTEN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. BECHTOL, of German township as a candidate for Infirmary Director of Allen County subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES GOBLE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. COTNER, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of S. H. ARNOLD, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Commissioner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of I. D. CRIDER, of German township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

FOR MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB J. HAEGE, for member of City Council from Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

By request of many friends, please announce the name of JEROME SHINE for Councilman, Second ward, subject to Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARMON as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of RICHARD STONE, for member of City Council from the Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL DOYLE, as a candidate for member of Council from the First ward.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Times-Democrat is authorized by the friends of attorney BEN S. HENDERSON to announce his name as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the city of Lima at its coming primary election.

WATER WORKS TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN THOMPSON, SR., of the Fourth ward, as a candidate for WATER WORDS TRUSTEE.

The annual meeting of the Ohio Editorial Association will be held at the Neil House, Columbus, Ohio, Wednesday and Thursday, February 20 and 21, 1901.

Twenty-five years ago there were a dozen colored men on the floor of the house of congress and two or three in the senate. In the next house and senate there will be no colored men.

The gentleman who picked the senatorial deadlock in Ohio about three years ago could secure employment at Lincoln, Nebraska, were it not for the fact that he is trying to escape punishment for stealing a few thousand dollars from Uncle Sam.

Another American official has been guilty of embezzling Cuban postal funds. It may become necessary to abolish postal charges in Cuba, or to withdraw all money from the island and use coon skins for currency, in order to protect our new wards from the effects of a higher civilization.

One of the best known shoe manufacturers in the United States, who started into business with a small capital and whose yearly sales now amount to over $3,000,000, says that "the main thing in the line of success is to keep yourself and your goods constantly before the public. This is best done by means of advertising in general, and particularly by newspaper advertising." As advertising has enabled this man to keep a great factory in constant operation and to conduct 72 retail stores, what he says on the subject of publicity is entitled to some consideration.

A Republican contemporary which is very indignant over the restriction of the suffrage in the south says that Representative White is the last colored person who is likely to soon appear in congress. But what is to hinder northern Republican constituencies—say in Pennsylvania or Massachusetts—from sending colored fellow citizens to congress? If colored men be fit to represent southern constituencies are they not quite as fit to represent Republican constituencies in the north? According to our contemporary there can be no political distinctions on account of race or color; but in effect the color line is as closely drawn by the Republicans of the north as by the Democrats of the south.

What further civil power is needed for the president that is now exercised in his name in the Philippines? The latest report of the Taft commission affords much interesting information on this point. This commission embodies the lawmaking power in the archipelago, and its legislation takes a wide range. It enacts laws over nearly every possible subject which does not come directly within the military authority. It makes appropriations and imposes taxes under the simple formula: "By virtue of the authority of the president of the United States it is ordained by the Philippine commission," etc. Thus five men sent out from the United States have untaken to legislate for 10,000,000 people, or at least so many of them have been brought under subjection to military power. Yet it is proposed that congress shall pass a sweeping enactment to approve and confirm this carleature of civil government in the Philippines.

It is stated that the Boer war costs Great Britain $1,000,000 every day, and that it has cost Great Britain $100,000,000 in gold.

Mr. McKinley will probably be a staunch believer in the thirteen hoodoo before he gets through distributing the 1,300 commissions placed at his disposal by the army act.

That water transportation continues to be the cheapest yet known where the waterway is of sufficient width and depth to float large vessels, is shown by the statistics of the commerce of the great lakes during the past year. The lake route is many times paralleled by well-equipped trunk railway lines, but 16,000,000 tons of iron ore, 2,000,000 feet of lumber, 1,266,234 tons of flour, 52,834,256 bushels of wheat, 70,805,801 bushels of corn, 33,290,767 bushels of oats, 11,526,501 bushels of rye and 1,850,892 bushels of barley were carried by steamer and barge. The return freight was chiefly coal and general merchandise and amounted to millions of tons.

The bulk of the grain and flour freighage originated at Duluth and Chicago, and its lake destination was Buffalo. The iron ore was most shipped from Lake Superior, chiefly to Lake Erie parts. Almost the entire volume of this immense traffic passed through the Detroit river. Immense as these figures are they do not include freight of Dominion origin, or that passed through the Welland canal. It was all shipped at American ports and consigned to an American destination. And it was all carried during eight months of the year, lake navigation being closed by ice during the remaining four months.

ELIDA NEWS.

Mrs. Krouse, of Kalida, visited our village Tuesday, and attended the Rebekah lodge meeting in the evening.

A sled load of Lima I. O. O. F. brothers attended lodge here Monday night.

Mrs. S. S. Sherrick, of Lima, who has been visiting friends here for a few days, returned home Tuesday quite sick.

A party of Delphos folks enjoyed a sleigh-ride to Elida, Monday evening, and were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Myers, of that place. A fine supper was enjoyed and appropriate amusements were indulged in. The visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goehring, Mesdames D. R. Walters, A. L. Fisher, S. Roberts, Schmueckle, Seymour, Brittingham, Krutch, McCollister, Point, and Miss Ethel Breese.

DICK.

COMPLICITY CHARGED

Against a Note Broker In Connection With Peabody Bank Muddle.

Boston, Feb. 14.—John W. Dickinson of Newtonville, a note broker, was arrested for alleged complicity with Cashier G. M. Foster in the misapplication of $21,000 of the funds of the South Danvers National bank of Peabody. He pleaded not guilty, and in default of $25,000 bail was committed to jail. The arrest caused a sensation. Cashier Foster was recently arrested charged with embezzling $3,600 of the bank's money, and if he succeeds in giving bail on the other case, he will be immediately arrested in conection with the new one. The authorities allege that Cashier Foster criminally misapplied the $21,000 in giving Mr. Dickinson $5,000 and $16,000 on certain notes.

Carnegie-Morgan Deal.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 14.—The new features in the Carnegie-Morgan negotiations are that the deal will be closed Friday, that President C. M. Schwab will be the head of the new company, and that Andrew Carnegie is to receive a sum larger than has been given in any of the many estimates sent out from New York. The intelligence was brought to Pittsburg by a well known banker who has been in New York for several days, and the statement that Mr. Schwab had been chosen president was confirmed in a telegram from a gentleman participating in the conference at New York.

Crew Drowned.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 14.—It is almost certain that the Lucerne was the victim of the disaster near Bacalieu, where a lot of wreckage has been found. A message from the agent to the owners says: "Unidentified wreckage, the same as Lucerne's fittings, found at Lead Cove." Her loss involves 30 lives, 23 of her own crew and 7 others, shipwrecked seamen and passengers. The supposition is that she either burst her boilers and went to pieces or struck the cliffs and foundered. The only fact beyond dispute is that a steamer and crew have perished.

Cuban Constitution.

Havana, Feb. 14.—The finishing touches were given to the constitution by the editing committees. At the last moment the reference to "pernicious foreigners" was stricken out and a clause was inserted providing for two sessions of congress, beginning in April and November, instead of one. A committee was appointed to draw up a proposition defining the relations to exist between Cuba and the United States.

Werkmen Rioting.

Budapest, Feb. 14.—There was serious street fighting here between men out of work and the police. About 1,200 of the former attacked the labor bureau, smashed the windows and attacked the police who attemped to disperse them. The police charged them with drawn swords and arrested 30 persons. The rioters attempted to rescue them and were only scattered by the arrival of a force of cavalry.

Paris Dressmakers' Strike.

Paris, Feb. 14.—On the day fixed as the opening for the strike of the seamstresses in support of the tailors, only 1,000 girls left work. All the workpeople of two big houses and a portion of those of four others struck. In several cases the employers took the precaution of refusing to allow their employes to take luncheon outside. Free meals were provided within. Bands of tailors and seamstresses paraded the Rue De La Paix all day long, but a strong force of police kept the strikers moving.

Murdered and Robbed.

Princeton, Ind., Feb. 14.—J. W. Loomiller was found dead near the graveyard at Haizeton, Ind. Near by was found a revolver with an empty chamber. Loomiller has been living in Hazleton, but came recently from Oklahoma, where he made a fortune. It is known that he had a large sum of money on his person when he left Princeton for Hazleton. He was totally blind. The general opinion is that he was murdered for his money.

Both Drowned.

New York, Feb. 14.—News has reached here of the drowning of the two sons of Alexander C. Humphreys in the river Nile, near Cairo. They were there with their father, who is a chemist, and head of the firm of Humphreys & Glasgow, which has offices in New York city, London and Liverpool. Cromby, the younger son, who was only six years old, fell into the river, and his brother Harold, aged 21, plunged to the rescue.

New Electric Line.

Detroit, Feb. 14.—G. M. Fordyce of Detroit has secured from the state of Ohio a 30 years' lease of the Miami and Erie canal from Toledo to Cincinnati, with the privilege of building electric lines on either side or both sides of the canal. Arrangements have been made to construct the line from Dayton to Cincinnati, and work will be commenced as soon as spring comes.

Gomez to Testify.

Havana, Feb. 14.—Additional local interest has been given to the postoffice fraud cases by the summoning of General Maximo Gomez as a witness. It seems that one of the clerks in the auditor's department told General Gomez last March that there were irregularities in the matter of allowing duplicate vouchers. Friends of General Gomez assert that he explained the condition of things to the military authorities, and they contend that he deserves the credit attaching to the exposure of the frauds.

River Overflowed.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 14. — A dispatch from La Paz says that the overflow of the river has caused the inundation of the city and the destruction of bridges. The electric lighting system has been disabled and the city has been in darkness for two nights. Many lives have been lost and the damage will aggregate 1,000,000 Bolivian dollars.

Turf Winners.

At Oakland—Dunfree, Sea Lion, Victoria S., Flamero, Frank Bell, Sir Hampton.

At Tanforan—Vassal, Sister Jeanie, Lothian, Joe Frey, Seide, Wyoming.

At New Orleans—The Bronze Demon, Lady Curzon, Divertisement, Ardita, Brightnight, Sadie Burnam.

Piet Dewet's Mission.

Cape Town, Feb. 14.—Piet Dewet, who arrived in Cape Town to engage the Afrikanders in the peace movement, has an appointment with Mr. Theron, president of the Afrikanderbund, who is coming here for the special purpose of discussing peace possibilities. Mr. Dewet, on behalf of the Boer peace committee, desires the Afrikanderbund to announce clearly that the invaders can expect no aid from the Cape Dutch and then to send a deputation to Mr. Steyn and General Dewet to endeavor to prevail upon them to surrender.

Arithmetic 3,000 Years Ago.

Probably the oldest book for home lessons in arithmetic was recently unearthed in Egypt. The papyrus, which was in excellent condition, dates from about 1700 B. C.—that is, about 100 years before the time of Moses, or almost 3,500 years ago. It proves that the Egyptians had a thorough knowledge of the elementary mathematics almost to the extent of our own. The papyrus has a long heading, "Direction How to Attain the Knowledge of All Dark Things," etc. Numerous examples show that their principal operations with entire units and fractions were made by means of addition and multiplication. Subtraction and divisions were not known in their present form, but correct results were obtained, nevertheless. Equations were also found in the papyrus.—Newcastle (England) Chronicle.

Lameness in the muscles and joints indicates rheumatism. Don't dally with it a minute. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and cure it. 12

ANOTHER CUP DEFENDER

Thomas W. Lawson Willing to Build a Boat For the Trials.

A MODEL HAS BEEN COMPLETED.

Copper King Awaits Decision of Boston Yachtsmen Before Ordering a Possible Competitor of Shamrock II—Views of Some of the New York Yacht Club Members.

Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, the "copper king," admits that the New York Journal's exclusive announcement the other morning that he will build a yacht to enter the trial races as a cup defender is correct. He was approached on the subject and in order to make his position plain has given out the following statement, which is self explanatory:

"In regard to my building a cup defender to represent Boston I have only this to say at the present time: I sincerely regret that my name has been published in connection with the matter at this stage. I could almost say it was unfair to me, and certainly it is unfair to the numerous veteran yachtsmen who have always seen that Boston was close up to the starting line whenever and wherever yachting contests were on, and I certainly should do nothing to make myself the Boston representative in the coming cup contest until the old yachtsmen to whom I have referred have signified their disinclination to again take up the burden and their wish that I should do so.

"While I do not pretend to be an active sailing yachtsman, I am sufficiently acquainted with the burdens which go with an attempt to participate in the cup defense to not be anxious for the responsibilities which would necessarily go with this honor. Unquestionably all Boston yachtsmen would like to have Boston represented in the race, and if a boat can be successfully built and sailed by our townsmen I am willing to do it if necessary to insure our city's representation.

"All that has been done so far in the matter, as far as I know, is that Boston yachting experts have designed a boat which, they think, will be a winner. Boston yachtsmen, including myself, have looked her over carefully and boat which they think will be a winner. A number of representative Boston yachtsmen of the class I have referred to as being the ones who should have the first show have asked my cooperation in the carrying through of the project, and I have said to them that I would do what in their judgment was best to have Boston represented, and I am awaiting their decision.

"If they desire me to become one of a syndicate, I will do so. If they conclude that better results can be obtained by my owning and managing the new boat entirely, I am ready. One thing the yachting world can rest assured of—Boston interests could be in no safer hands than in those whose decision I am awaiting."

There are some members of the New York Yacht club, however, who claimed that even if Mr. Lawson built a cup defender and she should defeat the Belmont syndicate yacht, she would not be eligible to defend the cup, as Mr. Lawson was not a member of the New York Yacht club. With a view of evading this rule Mr. Lawson, it is said, is now trying to arrange for a Boston syndicate to build the boat, and so long as one member of the syndicate is a member of the New York Yacht club the boat would be eligible to race and defend the cup.

However, the fact that Mr. Lawson is not a member of the New York Yacht club should hardly stand in the way of his building, as in every cup race year, except possibly 1899, the New York Yacht club has always issued a circular letter to yachtsmen, asking them to assist in the defense of the cup by building boats to enter in the trial races. This is as it should be, as the cup is no longer a mere club matter, but is of national importance, and the safety of the cup should be the first and only consideration.

W. Butler Duncan, Jr., the manager of the Belmont syndicate boat, who is a true sportsman as well as a first class yachtsman, voiced the views of the majority of members of the New York Yacht club the other day when he said: "So Lawson is going to build Well, the more the merrier."

When asked if the fact that Mr. Lawson was not a member of the New York Yacht club would prevent his taking part in the trial races, he said: "I know of nothing to prevent the boat coming in. I don't see how you can keep him out. In the old days the club used to invite yachtsmen to come to the defense of the cup, and I think the club would have done the same thing this year had they thought any one else wished to build."

In spite of any denials that may come from Boston, Mr. Lawson is still seriously considering building a cup defender, and the best proof of it is that a prominent New York yachtsman was hastily summoned to Boston the other afternoon to consult with the Boston financier.

Advantages of Irrigation.

It is estimated that 75,000,000 acres of land may be made fruitful by irrigation. That is 470,748 quarter sections, capable of supporting a population of 2,353,740 people. Such an addition to the producing and consuming power is of great importance, but it does not represent all the results of irrigation and the forest and range policies which are impinged upon it. Leasing the ranges and preservation of the forests, says the San Francisco Call, mean the sustenance of many more millions of people.

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Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief and Cough Honey.

Safe, sure, certain. Price 25c a bottle. For "colds" in any part of the body, sore throat, diphtheria, Bronchitis, pneumonia, all throat and lung troubles.

They are both Germicides.

For sale by druggists everywhere.

READY FOR AN EMERGENCY.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Gov. Nash called up Mayor Fleischman at Cincinnati at noon by long distance telephone and said, "He was certain the citizens of Cincinnati would not disobey the order of the court." He was assured by Mayor Fleishman that he would not permit the fight. However troops are still held in readiness for an emergency.

DANIEL FLANNAGAN

Editor of the Kenton Democrat Died This Morning.

Kenton, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Daniel Flannagan, editor and manager of the Daily Democrat, died early this morning of uraemic poisoning. He was a prominent Democratic politician.

TESLA'S WONDER PERFECTED.

New York, Feb. 14.—The Sun announces this morning that Tesla has perfected his system of wireless telegraphy that will signal across the ocean.

COXEY LOSES HIS SON.

Massillon, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Legal tender Coxey, aged 7, son of General and Mrs. Coxey, died this morning of scarlet fever. He was born at the time when Coxey made his famous march to Washington.

AFTER TYPHOID FEVER.

Milk should be given until gradually wholly replaced by solid food:

First day—Chicken broth, thickened with thoroughly boiled rice. Milk or cream toast. Once only during the day.

Second day—Junket, mutton broth, and bread crumbs. Milk toast. A small piece of tender steak may be chewed, but not swallowed.

Third day—A small scrapped beef sandwich at noon. A soft cooked egg, or baked custard for supper.

Fourth day—The soft part of three or four fresh oysters. Meat broth thickened with a beaten egg. Cream toast. Rice pudding or carefully prepared blanemange and whipped cream, or Bavarian cream.

Fifth day—Scrapped beef sandwich. A tender sweetbread. Bread and milk. A poached egg. Calf's foot jelly.

Sixth day—Mush and milk, scrambled eggs, chicken jelly. Bread and butter.

Seventh day—A small piece of tenderloin steak, or a little breast of broiled chicken. Bread and butter. Boiled rice. Wine jelly, sponge cake and whipped cream.

Eighth day—A slice of tender, rare roast beef, a thoroughly cooked baked potato, served with butter, or mashed with cream. Other foods as before.

Ninth day—A little broiled fresh fish for breakfast. Beef steak for dinner. Rice, macaroni, eggs. Sago, rice or milk pudding. A baked apple.

Tenth day—Mush and milk. A squab or breast of partridge or roast chicken. Other foods as before.

For the next four or five days the patient may select articles from the menu of the previous days, so that three good meals a day are taken, besides milk between meals.

Food must not be given until the fever has entirely disappeared and the doctor orders same.—Altanta Constitution.

"I had grip three months; could not sleep; pain all over and headache very bad. Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Liver Pills made me well." Mrs. H. C. Bewley, Waterloo, Ind.

Women as Bird Doctors.

One of the latest schemes of a clever woman forced to earn her own living is establishing herself as a bird doctor. Canaries are her specialty and she has established a hopital where she attends to the ills of these pets. Broken limbs, disordered digestive apparatus, catarrhs and fevers are treated by the woman with benefit to the birds and profit to herself. Other song birds and house pets, and even the repulsive parrot, are treated for their ailments by this bird doctor, who is said to be the only woman in the world making a specialty of this business. So well established is her fame in this direction that she makes visits to Philadelphia, Boston and other cities when called, and has established a regular clientele there, as well as here, among dealers who make the handling of birds an incident to their other business, as is the case at some of the department stores.—New York Times.

REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Please announce the name of D. C. RICHMOND, Sr., for Water Works Trustee for second term, subject to decision of Republican primary.

WANTED.

WANTED—Girl at Hotel Norval. 5-3t.

FOR RENT—Two nice rooms, close and pantry. Enquire at 541 north Elizabeth street. 3-3t

PARROTS FOR SALE CHEAP—Cuban double yellow heads, six months old. All just beginning to talk, for sale at 201 east North street, Lima, O. 3-1w

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at 132 west McKibben street. 1-tf.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at 591 north Elizabeth street. 3-3t

MANAGER—Energetic man to manage branch. Old established house. No soliciting; office duties wholly. Salary $125 month and extra commissions. Yearly engagement; chance rapid advancement for man of ability. Experience not necessary. Must furnish good references and $800 cash. Manager, Drawer 74, New Haven, Ct. Jan 26-1m

FOR RENT—A boarding house on east Wayne street. The house is in good condition. References required. Apply at T. P. Keilly's grocery, 261 east Wayne street. 7tf

FOD RENT—Furnished rooms. Also rooms for light housekeeping. Call at 537 north Elizabeth street. 2tf

FOUND—A fur collarette. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply at this office.

WANTED—IRON MOLDERS: Wanted green sand molders, 25 heavy green sand molders, 20 dry sand molders, 10 loam molders. Apply in person promptly to Fraser & Chalmers' foundry, West 12th st and Washington Ave., Chicago. Steady work to competent men. All union Iron Molders' attention is directed to the following letter from President Foy, of the Iron Molders' Union of North America:

Office of the Iron Molders' Union of North America.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 31, 1901.

MESSRS. FRASER & CHALMERS, Chicago.

GENTLEMEN—The action of the molders declaring a strike in your foundry is an assumption of authority which has no official recognition from the IRON MOLDERS' UNION of North America, or local union No. 233, of Chicago, Ill., of which they are members. Said action was illegal and a violation of our rules and laws, and the members of the IRON MOLDERS' UNION are authorized to accept employment in your foundry pending investigation of the alleged grievance and decision of Executive Committee, as provided in the New York agreement. To all members of our union who go to work we will guarantee the fullest recognition and support of our organization. Resp'ctfully yours,

2-6t MARTIN FOY, President.

Faurot Opera House.

Thursday, Feb. 14.

Announcement Extraordinary.

The Success of Four Seasons.

Arthur C. Aiston's Co. in

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Suggested by Bret Harte's Great Romance.

Presented by the original cast and the Golden Nugget Quartette.

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Our piano tuner, Mr. C. F. Woolery, has been employed by us for a period of more than nine years, so that we feel safe in recommending him as a competent workman. Orders left at Beeler & Van Gunten's Music Store, 23 Public Square, will receive prompt attention.

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ONE

Killed and Two Injured

In the Wreck

On the Pittsburg Road Yesterday.

Peculiar Accident Which the Trainmen are Unable to Explain.

Believed That the Big Erie Engines are Top-heavy and Likely to be Dangerous on the Sharp Curves.

As a result of a railway accident at Plymouth, Indiana, on the Pittsburg, yesterday one man is dead, another maimed for life and another injured so badly that he will be disabled many weeks, should he be so fortunate as to recover at all. The unfortunates are, Charles E. Glenn, fireman, killed; Benjamine F. Thompson, engineer, one rib broken, injured internally and left hand lacerated. Earl Smitley, brakeman, right leg crushed above the knee; had to be amputated.

The Collision.

The train was the second section of eastbound freight No. 78, in charge of conductor H. P. Jones. It was a double-header, hauled by engines 56 and 256, in the order named. In the cab of the forward engine were engineer H. S. Wills and fireman M. C. Wolford, while the cab of the second engine was occupied by engineer B. F. Thompson and fireman C. E. Glenn.

The train stopped at Plymouth and the engines were cut loose and sent forward a considerable distance to the water station for water. En route back the engines collided with the train with force sufficient to drive the tender of the second engine, No. 256, through the cab. Fireman Glenn was in the act of putting in a fire and he was carried forward by the weight of coal in the tank and crushed to death against the head of the boiler. His left elbow evidently passed into the firebox door, for the arm was burned until only the stub at the shoulder and the hand and a small portion of the forearm remained. The clothing and the flesh of the left side of his body and head were also nearly consumed by fire, while other portions of the body, head and limbs were crushed into an almost unrecognizable mass. Engineer Thompson, the only other occupant of the cab, did not hear a cry or moan from his fireman and it is believed that death was instantaneous.

Engineer Thompson was jammed against and through the cab window and it was the glass from this that cut his left hand. Although severely injured, as stated, Mr. Thompson was able to remain at the scene and assist in the rescue of the fireman and brakeman until he was relieved by others. He came to Fort Wayne on No. 6, at 5:20, and is now at his home, 156 Wallace street, where Dr. C. J. McOscar is looking after his injuries.

Brakeman Smitley, it is supposed, was on the rear end of the tank, for the purpose of making the coupling when the engines reached the train. The shock of the collision knocked him from the tank to the tracks, where the wheels passed over his right leg, crushing it.

The latter was taken to St. Joseph hospital at Fort Wayne where Dr. Stemen, the company's physician amputated the limb yesterday evening.

Mr. Smitley seemed rational and conversed with those about his couch concerning the accident. To W. H. Reed, his brother-in-law, he said he was unable to explain the accident. He was not certain as to his location on the tender and did not know his leg was injured until he saw the almost severed portion of the limb lying in the snow.

The Wreck a Mystery.

Considerable mystery surrounds the wreck. It is supposed that after the train was left alone upon the tracks at O N tower, it moved forward some way, perhaps through leakage of air, and the movement was not noticed in time to avert the collision. As stated, this is mere conjecture, but the circumstances seem to make the theory plausible. The matter will be thoroughly investigated, when the mystery will undoubtedly be removed.

The loss to rolling stock was not serious, it consisting of the demolished cab and the breaking of the draught rigging of three cars.

Cheap Oranges at Townsend's.

THE IDLER.

The friends of E. J. Mellott, a popular young man who was for some time employed by the Newson, Deakin, Bond Co., will be interested in learning that he has accompanied Mr. Deakin to Wausau, Wis., where he will remain in Mr. Deakins' employ. Mr. Mellott is an excellent young man and the best wishes of his many friends go with him to his new home.

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Notices have been issued to members of the Humane society announcing a called meeting for tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. The society meets in the board of education room in the Holmes block, and all interested are invited to be present.

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J. M. Long, who lives on a farm three miles west of Lima, refused an offer of $100 this morning by a man who saw an opportunity to exhibit to the world a curiosity which Mr. Long says has never been equalled. Last Saturday night a fine Polled Durham cow gave birth to three heifer calves, all being marked exactly alike, and they are all finely formed and well developed.

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Capt J. R. Stillings, commissary of the Second regiment, came over from Kenton this morning to be at headquarters to respond to a call from Gov. Nash in case troops are ordered to Cincinnati.

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E. W. Mosier is in Cincinnati purchasing some new machinery to add to the equipment of the Niagara steam laundry.

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The Elks meet tonight.

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The Prudential Insurance Co. agents of the Lima district will be banqueted at the Lima House this evening.

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Jubilee services at Grace Methodist church tonight. Everybody invited. Special music.

W. B. FOYE'S DEATH.

Of the particulars concerning the death of W. B. Foye at Marion last week the Mirror said:

"W. B. Foye, a prominent druggist of this city, died shortly after 10 o'clock Friday morning, the 1st, after about a half hour's illness. Mr. Foye came to his store apparently in the best of health. Shortly before 10 o'clock he complained of feeling bad, and laid down on a cot in a room over the store. He was attacked with a violent spell of vomiting shortly afterwards and physicians were summoned. Their efforts proved of no avail, as Mr. Foye died a few minutes later. His death was due to acute indigestion, his heart being affected by the same.

"The deceased was one of the best known business men in the city, having resided here for a number of years. His former home was in Canton. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter, besides a large number of friends and acquaintances to mourn his death. Mr. Foye was a member of the State street Baptist church.

AMUSEMENTS.

Those who fail to see "Tennessee's Pardner" at the opera house tonight will miss one of the best comedy dramas. The play suggests rather than closely follows Bret Harte's exquisite story of the mining camp. It is bright and clean, not overdrawn and has a distinct vein of comedy which brightens it wonderfully. The characters are well balanced and each actor in his, or her, own way, appeals especially to the audience.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

It is desired by the family of the late John Wheeler that the public should know that the business he so long conducted will continue without change, and be known, as formerly, as The John Wheeler Grocery. The family wishes also to express acknowledgment of the many kind favors extended by patrons and friends during the bereavement occasioned by the death of Mr. Wheeler.

NOTICE.

Buckeye Home No. 16, H. G. of A., will meet as usual Friday evening at 7:30. The team is requested to be at the hall at 7 sharp to practice for the initiatory service. By order

M. F. LEVINKES, Counsellor.
P. LAUGHLIN, Sec'y.

Rabbits and Squirrels at Townsend's

ANOTHER

Chapter in the Lichty Destitution Case.

Trustees Make a Statement of the Matter

In Which They Assert the Situation Was Not So Deplorable as Reports Seemed to Make It.

Editor Times-Democrat, Lima, Ohio.
Dear Sir:—
Enclosed find a short article which the trustees of this township would like to have published in your paper. I wrote the same by their orders.
Respectfully yours
C. D. AMSTUTZ.

Feb. 14, 1901.

February the 8th appeared an article in the Times-Democrat and Republican Gazette, of a case of "unparalleled destitution" at the home of Christian Lichty, close to Beaver Dam in Richland township. The first statement made in the article referred to it says that the township trustees went to Mr. Lichty's place and were refused admission. It is true that the trustees went there, but it is not true that they were refused admission. When they arrived at the place Mr. Lichty took them into the house to the bedside of his aged mother, told them how he took care of her, and even prepared a meal for her to show the trustees what she had to eat. The trustees deny that there was a sow with a litter of pigs in the room. The trustees also deny that they "did not know what to do and turned the case over to the Humane society," but to the contrary, they took steps to see that the old lady is well treated and her apartments be kept in a sanitary condition. Some of her grand children even went to town and brought wall paper to make her room pleasant and cheerful.

Mrs. Lichty is about 89 years old, living with her son, Christian, not in a "little hovel," but in a house, large enough for two or more to live in, with comfort and ease. CITIZEN.

IN THE AIR.

The Germs of La Grippe are Conveyed Through the Atmosphere.

No one can escape the la grippe germ because when an epidemic of the disease is prevailing the air is laden with it.

The reason everyone does not have the disease at the same time is because the persons who are enjoying perfect health are able to successfully resist and throw off the infection, while those, who for any reason are not in the best of health fall ready victims.

The first symptoms are those of acute catarrh, resembling a hard cold and if prompt treatment is applied at this time, it can easily be broken up; one of the best remedies at this stage is Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, sold by druggists everywhere and if taken freely, say one tablet every hour or two for two or three days, the danger of pneumonia and serious complications will be averted.

The Rev. L. E. Palmer, Baptist clergyman of Ceresco, Mich., makes a statement of interest to all catarrh and grip sufferers. He says: "Stauart's Catarrh Tablets have certainly been a blessing to me. I have used them freely this fall and winter and have found them a safeguard against la grippe and catarrhal troubles from which I had suffered for years. I feel that I can freely and conscientiously recommend them."

Persons who suffer from catarrh of the head and throat are very susceptible to la grippe and such will find a pleasant, convenient and safe remedy in this new catarrh cure.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed entirely of harmless antiseptics and may be used as freely as necessary as they contain no cocaine, opiate or poisonous drug of any kind.

FRANK MILLER

And His Bride are Now Boarding in This City.

Engineer Frank Miller, of the L. E. & W., who recently wedded Miss Mayme Dolan at Anderson, Ind., has brought his bride to this city and they have taken quarters in a boarding house on south Main street.

FUNERAL

Of Pioneer J. C. Mell Will be Held Tomorrow Morning.

The funeral of J. C. Mell, the pioneer whose death was announced yesterday, will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock at the Christian church at West Cairo, Ohio. Interment will be made in the Gomer cemetery.

TO REST

The Remains of John Wheeler Are Consigned.

Funeral Services Were Held at the Congregational Church and Were Largely Attended.

The funeral of the late veteran grocer, John Wheeler, was held from the Congregational church yesterday afternoon and the services were largely attended. The local grocers met at the office of C. M. Chown and attended the funeral in a body. Rev. Swanson, pastor of the Congregational church, conducted the services, and was assisted by Rev. J. H. Hunton. The pall bearers were B. F. Thomas, A. S. Bower, C. W. Smith, F. A. Holland, Col. I. F. Moore, J. M. Sealts, C. F. Stolzenbach and C. M. Chown.

The remains were placed in the new receiving vault in Woodlawn cemetery.

WON BY SPRINGFIELD.

Basket Ball Game at Y. M. C. A. Close and Interesting.

By a combination of good goal throwing, luck, one sided umpiring and foolishness on the part of some of the local players Springfield won the basket ball game last night.

Holihan and Smith each threw the ball inside the rim of the goals but the ball would not stay in and several of Springfield's goals were lucky throws, one especially by Whal from the other end of the floor.

Umpire Massman, of Springfield, was very strict in calling fouls on the home team and as a result Winemiller lost his temper and threw the ball at the umpire. He was at once ruled out of the game. Swan took his place, but before he had. Leffel, Springfield's star player guaged, the latter threw two goals in quick succession and Wahl made his phenomenal throw. This gave Springfield a comfortable lead and Lima lost heart.

Lima excelled in team work but could not throw baskets with the exception of Capt. Smith. He played a phenomenal game making four goals one of them being a jumping throw. Lima will have a good team when some of the men get a little older and learn to hold their tempers and keep their mouths closed in the game.

The score:

Springfield	Points	Fouls.
Leffel (Capt. R. F.	13	2
Schoenthal, L. F.	2	0
Wahl, C.	2	0
Wolf, R. G.	0	2
Lutz, L. G.	0	2
Totals	17	6
Lima	Points	Fouls.
Taylor, R. F.	2	0
Holihan, L. F.	1	1
Laudick, C.	0	5
Winemiller, R. G.	0	2
Smith, Capt. L. G.	8	3
Total	11	11

Referee, McLaughlin; unpire, Massman; scorer, Foltz; timekeeper, Macdonald.

STANDARD

Has a Good Foothold in the Beaumont Oil Field.

Austin, Texas, February 13.—The charters of three more oil companies with capital stocks aggregating $225,000 were approved by the secretary of state today. All are formed for the purpose of operating in the new Beaumont oil fields. One of these is the Dixie Oil company, with a capital stock of $100,000. W. H. Paulhamus, who is said to represent the Standard Oil company, is the principal stockholder in this corporation. It is formed for the purpose of constructing a pipe line from the well which Mr. Paulhamus recently "bought in," 18 miles south of the great Lucas gusher, to Port Arthur. The stock of the two other companies is all held by Ft. Worth and Beaumont capitalists.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Feb. 14.—For Ohio.—Fair tonight and Friday, except snow flurries tonight along the northeastern lake shore; rising temperature Friday.

TO MEMBERS.

Let every member of the Home Guards be present tomorrow evening to hear the program for the Hard Times social to be given at their hall, corner Wayne and Main streets, Feb. 22nd.

LIMA CHAPTER NO. 49, R. A. M.

Stated convocation tomorrow, (Friday) evening. Work on P. and M. E. M. degrees.

W. J. SHEPHERD, H. P.
WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

PLUNGED

Head Foremost Out of a High Cupola

And Rendered Unconscious by His Injuries.

W. A. Campnell, of the Steel Works, Seriously Injured This Morning—Condition is Critical.

This morning about 11 o'clock, W. A. Campnell, a Lima Steel works employe, was regulating some machinery in the cupola near the sand blast, when he seems to have become faint and fell a distance of fifteen feet, striking on his head. A deep wound was inflicted, which, with the concussion and other bodily injuries, rendered him unconscious. An ambulance was called, the injured man being removed to his home on Reece avenue, where he was attended by a physician, who dressed his wounds and relieved his suffering as much as possible. While the man's injuries are very serious it is thought they will not prove fatal, although he is in such a critical condition, his physician is unable to pronounce definitely upon his case at present.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. W. H. Clark and daughter, Miss Vina, of Mt. Jewett, Pa., are the guests of her sister, Mrs. M. J. Lynch, of 755 west Wayne street.

W. S. Kreinbihl and W. Greiner, of Kenton, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Will Greiner, of 537 north Elizabeth street.

Mrs. George A. Heffner, of west North street, is in Fort Wayne attending the funeral of Mrs. Durnell, a very dear friend.

Mrs. G. W. Best, of west North street, who has been critically ill, suffering from typhoid fever, is on the road to recovery.

SUDDEN DEATH

Of M. J. Lynch's Father at His Home in Bradford, Pa.

M. J. Lynch, of 755 west Wayne street, received a message from Bradford, Pa., night before last, which bore the sad tidings of the sudden death of his father, John M. Lynch, of that city. Mr. Lynch had recovered from an attack of la grippe, and had resumed his position, having charge of a pump station for an oil company. The pumper who went to relieve him the next morning after his recovery from his attack of the grip, found him lying dead in the boiler house. Mr. Lynch left at once for Bradford to attend the funeral services which will be held in that city.

MRS. MARLOTT,

Of Hughes Avenue, Died This Morning—Funeral Saturday.

Mrs. Sadie Marlott, of 1031 Hughes avenue, died this morning after an illness of one year's duration. The deceased was born in St. Marys and reached the age of 21 years, 2 months and 10 days. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Leatherman at Grace M. E. church at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

SERVICE

Of Baptism to be Held at South Side Church Tonight.

There will be a baptismal service tonight at the south side church of Christ. The first of the special Thursday night evangelistic services will be held tonight.

TOWNSEND'S FISH.

Smelts, Herring, Trout,
Catfish, Pickerel,
White, Oysters, Eels.

HOW ARE YOUR NERVES?

If they are weak and you feel nervous and easily "flustrated," can't sleep, and rise in the morning unrefreshed, your blood is poor. Strong nerves depends upon rich, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the nerves strong enriching and vitalizing the blood. It gives sweet, refreshing sleep and completely cures nervous troubles. Begin taking it today.

Nausea, indigestion are cured by Hood's Pills. 2

In cases of catarrh Hood's Sarsaparilla heals the tissues, builds up the system, expells impurities from the blood and cures. 10

The Beauties of Spring are Already Forcasted in the Pretty New Goods Arriving Daily.

New Silk Waists, New Dress Skirts, New Tailor-made Suits, New Belts, New Beltings and Belt Buckles, New Trimmings, New Jewelry Novelties, New Corsets, New Bustles, New Ribbons.

In Our Clearing of Shelves and Counters for the Spring Season Many Worthy Bargains are Distributed All Through the Store.

Extraordinary Bargains in Furs, in Tailor-made Suits, in Silk Waists, in Flannel Waists, in Dress Skirts, in Walking Skirts, in Corsets, in Muslin Underwear, in Knit Underwear, in Petticoats, in Hosiery and Gloves.

Feldmann & Co

209 and 211 North Main Street.

The Genuine Clearing Sale

The second week starts Saturday Morning, and many new reductions have been made.

Watch Tomorrow's Times-Democrat

For quotations on good honest merchandise at some interestingly low prices.

Last week many patrons were astonished at prices. The reductions in some cases are much lower than our customary one-quarter off sale.

This Is Your Chance to Buy Clothes Cheap.

Our best Overcoats are selling at prices of cheap garments.

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Mammoth.

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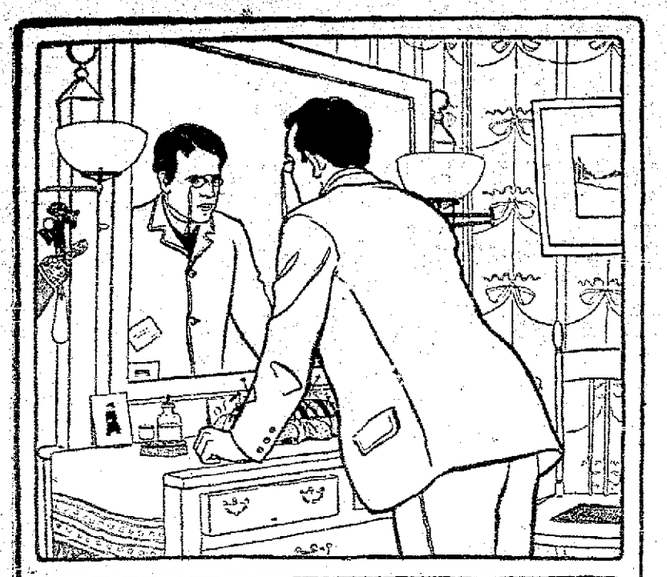

TO THE MAN WHO THINKS.

LOOK yourself squarely in the face and see if you are not half ashamed to be without Ivory Soap in your house. Worse than this, your wife is without it. It is bad enough for a man, though a man often doesn't care how his comfort is mis-spelled. But a woman misses all these little helps to housekeeping. And Ivory Soap is one; its great potency makes it actually cheaper than yellow soap for general work. It floats.

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Deserves Medal for Bravery.

Samuel Guerney, a Yale medical student, recently volunteered to go to Derby, Conn., and nurse a smallpox patient. He nursed the sick man back to comparative safety, and now an effort is being made to secure for him the Humane society's medal in consideration of bravery.

Why War Is So Costly.

A significant fact quoted by a scientific journal explains why war is so costly. The cartridges for the "pom-pom" guns cost one dollar and a half each. As the guns can fire 300 a minute, this means an expenditure of $450 a minute while the gun is in use.

All druggists guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for lagrippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov1-4w

Gambling in London.

One of the greatest recognized evils of London which the Christian and business element are preparing to attack is that of gambling. The Christian says: "It has recently been stated authoritatively that there are no fewer than 5,000 professional bookmakers daily engaged in their injurious trade, and that their regular clients exceed half a million; and when it is remembered that every town has its betting clubs, some idea may be formed of the extent of the evil and of the amount of misery resulting from it."

FREQUENT COUGHING inflames the lungs. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the coughing and heals the lungs. The ordinary cough medicines which are simply expectorants, will not do this, as they keep the lungs irritated in throwing off the phlegm. H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Trade of Palestine.

The growing trade of Palestine amounted last year to $3,500,000, of which the exports were about $1,500,000. It has no harbor, but one could be made at Jaffa, and this would greatly facilitate trade in connection with its railroad. The best of the agriculture is in the hands of religious, benevolent and national communities. The largest export is soap. It exported last year $285,000 worth of oranges, which went chiefly to London. The Turk will soon have to stand aside and let this land develop.

Diamonds Concealed in Belt.

Antonio Azuia arrived from Germany at New York wearing a belt in which were concealed $17,000 worth of diamonds. He told a customs officer that he had nothing dutiable. The officer was about to pass on when he stumbled and caught at Azuia's waist to keep from falling. His hand touched the belt and the newcomer was soon despoiled of his valuable shipment.

LAGRIPPE QUICKLY CURED.

"In the winter of 1898 and 1899 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called la grippe" says F. L. Hewett, a prominent druggist of Winfield, Ill. "The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and stopped the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with grip." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can always be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take, too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these ailments. For sale by all druggists.

Twelve Dogs Go to Alaska.

Twelve St. Bernard dogs left Chicago recently in a special car bound for Alaska, where they are to be used for the transportation of supplies over the Copper River district. The dogs are owned by J. W. Bradbury and were trained for the work in the far north at Downer's Grove. Their owner thinks they will be able to withstand the hardships of Alaska better than the native dogs.

WORKING OVER TIME.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

Old Clover Hay.

In 1879 D. Tennyson, a Marshall county, Kansas, farmer, built a barn, and to add to its weight, so that it would not be blown away by a cyclone, as the old one was, he stored twenty tons of clover hay in the loft, where it remained untouched until recently. He is now feeding it to his stock and it is as bright and wholesome as if it were of this year's crop.

SANURY PILLS CURES

It is useless to suffer with kidney or bladder troubles, rheumatism or gout, stone in the kidney or gravel, for SANURY will certainly cure you. Do not be deterred by the fact that you have tried other remedies without success. SANURY is a new combination of medicinal agents invaluable to sufferers from these diseases. SANURY destroys the germs of disease in the kidneys and urinary tract, cures the kidneys and liver and dissolves out excess uric acid. SANURY acts promptly, mildly and most effectively; expels uric acid from the system, foul and diseased matter from the kidneys and bladder, clearing the urine and thoroughly purifying the blood. It soon restores to perfect health.

Price, $1.00 a bottle. At all druggists.

SIMMS MEDICINE CO., St. Louis.

Alkanesia Cures Dyspepsia! The trouble with the remedies for this disease is, that they, if of any value at all, only afford temporary relief. ALKANESIA not only affords instant relief, but removes the causes of dyspepsia and gives the stomach permanent strength and health. Price, $1.00. At all druggists.

SODA WATER DAM.

Such a Freak of Nature Exists in Arizona.

Probably few people ever heard of a soda dam, but such a freak of nature really exists in an unfrequented part of the great west, says the San Francisco Call. A. O. Wright of the Indian service, who travels extensively through that section of the country west of the Missouri river, in speaking of strange things he has encountered in his tours, alluded to the soda dam. Asked what he meant by a soda dam he said: "In Box canyon, just above the hot springs of the Jemez river, Arizona, is a dam extending from one wall of the gorge to the other. This dam is nothing more nor less than a massive wall of pure soda, rising to a height of 100 feet, and probably 600 feet from end to end. Nature's forces, of course, started their work of construction away back in the dim and distant past, when deposits of soda contained in the water thrown off by the springs were made at the base of what has since developed into one of the natural wonders of the west. These deposits must have been made with remarkable rapidity. Just ten years ago the Jemez river rose to an unprecedented height, and under the abnormal pressure of the torrent a lower section of the dam gave way, leaving a breach in the wall of soda about twenty feet high. When the water subsided the lake formed by the dam was, of course, destroyed, leaving the upper eighty feet of the dam high and dry. I passed through that section of Arizona this last summer and purposely visited the soda dam. I was most astonished to see that the 20-foot breach had been nearly filled in. The soda from the springs had made fresh deposits, and gradually patched up the hole made in 1890. At the present rate the breach will be entirely closed in another year and the lake will resume its former proportions. Previous to the break in the dam, the lake above was fully 600 feet wide, and extended up the canyon for at least three-quarters of a mile. Scientists who have examined the dam are of the opinion that it will never attain a height much above 100 feet, for the deposits in the water seem to sink in that great depth before the brink is reached. As they fall, however, they will tend to strengthen the dam, and will gradually decrease the depth of the lake at its lower end."

HOW TO CURE THE GRIP.

Remain quietly at home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as directed and a quick recovery is sure to follow. That remedy counteracts any tendency of the grip to result in pneumonia, which is really the only serious danger. Among the tens of thousands who have used it for the grip not one case has ever been reported that did not recover. For sale by all druggists.

A RUSSIAN CANAL.

Will Open Up Communication From the Caspian to the Mediterranean.

The Volga is the largest river in Europe and the Caspian, into which it empties, is the largest inland body of water in the world, but neither has a natural connection with the ocean. Freight from the Caspian may go all the way either to the Arctic ocean or to the Baltic by means of canals that connect the Volga with navigable rivers flowing either into the northern or the eastern seas; but in order to reach the ocean from the Caspian by either of these two canal routes it is necessary to cross the whole of Russia from its southeastern corner, and the routes are very long, roundabout and therefore expensive. People who have followed the progress of the industrial development of Russia have long wondered why the Caspian has not long ago been connected with the Black sea. This union might be effected by digging a canal between the lower Volga and the lower Don at the point where they very nearly approach one another. The country between them is almost perfectly flat except for the high hills that skirt the western bank of the Volga for some hundreds of miles. If it had not been for this chain of hills it is probable that the Volga-Don canal would have been in operation years ago. It is now proposed to dig this canal. The distance is only sixty miles, the plans have been made and the estimated cost is about $35,000,000. The effect of this canal upon transportation in Russia and a part of Asia would be far reaching. It will give Russian Central Asia and Northern Persia water communications from the Caspian to the ocean without involving a journey northward of from 700 to 1,000 miles, and it will give the Volga, to which the most of Central and Eeastern Siberia are tributary, an outlet to the Black Sea. The canal will be certain to cause an important diversion of Russian trade to the Black sea. Three canals now connect the Volga with the Baltic, and many hundreds of freight boats make the journey every year between the river and St. Petersburg. The Volga carries about half the river freight of Russia, and much of this freight is drawn from the country tributary to the lower half of the river, which is much nearer the Black sea than the Baltic. The Volga-Don canal will therefore tend to make the Black sea more important than ever as the main outlet of the agricultural exports of Russia.—New York Press.

"Grip robbed me of my sleep and I was nearly crazy with neuralgia and headache. Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nervine cured me."—Mrs. Pearl Bush, Holland, Mich.

PHILLIPS AND HIS DEAL

Some Inside History About the Recent Corner In Corn.

HOW TIMELY AID WAS GIVEN.

Daniel Hill of Morris, Ills., Furnished Money at a Critical Point—Later on a Chicago Financier Placed Unlimited Funds at the Young Speculator's Disposal.

The success of the recent corner in corn concluded by George H. Phillips, the young financier, who is again said to be cornering the corn market, has a peculiar interest to people of Morris, Ills., because Phillips was born there, and the man that gave him his chief aid in the deal at a critical moment was also a citizen of that city, Daniel Hill, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. The inception of the deal is an interesting story. Mr. Phillips was a close student of the market situation on corn for several months past. He had a number of large deals in the last May option for himself and customers and made a nice little bunch of money out of it. He knew that the farmers had depleted their cribs of old corn, which had been sold when the price mounted to 45 cents during the summer, which gave the farmers an average of 40 cents at their home markets. He realized the enormous demand for corn for home consumption and for shipment. He found that with practically only one crop of corn on hand, while estimated to be as large as the crop of last year, depleted reserves were prompting the cattle feeders of the west to pay 30 cents and better for the new crop. He discovered that while a large quantity of corn was coming to market only a small percentage of it was contract. He saw the situation. He talked with friends and confided his beliefs. They were financially unable to support him in a trial of his theory that it would net a handsome profit to buy November corn. Phillips knew the big houses were all selling corn and that they would sell all they could of it. A couple of million bushels would take all in sight, and Phillips wanted it. He lay awake nights scheming as to methods to accomplish it.

The last week in October, without any definite plan ahead of him, but confident his position was right, he purchased a big line of November corn for his own account. His original intention was to hold this amount as a matter of profitable speculation. Everybody had it to sell in the pit, and some of the traders in the pit who knew Phillips and knew that his resources were limited sold him the corn, but with the admonition that they hated to do it because it would cost him all he had. Everybody at the time was "bearish" on corn—in other words, believed the price was so high that corn would be much cheaper and that it was policy to sell it. The small purchase Phillips made, however, seemed to give buoyancy to the market. It did not sag, as had been anticipated. The demand was heavier than ever. Phillips bought a little more.

Some of the bigger houses, noting the strength of the market, thought it a good time to sell and started at it. The offerings were so great the market became heavy at once. For a few moments Phillips thought he would have to dump his small holdings to save himself a heavy loss. Before doing it he found an old customer of his, who has recently aided in the incorporation of the George H. Phillips Commission company—Daniel Hill of Morris, Ills.—who happened to be in the building that day. Hill owns a number of rich farms in Illinois. Phillips briefly told Hill the story—how the market had gone up on his small buying, but how the big fellows were pounding the market down by their offerings, that nobody would take. He would have to sell at great loss. But Hill said: "Go buy some more for yourself and 500,000 or 600,000 for me. We will see what that will do for the market."

Phillips was back in the pit in ten seconds. He knew that his theory on shortage of November corn was to have a trial. He quietly took every bushel of corn offered. He got it at the price of the sellers. The market closed a shade lower, but firm. The next day Phillips bought another half million. The market responded by advancing slightly. The buying continued for a week, as Phillips could pick it up. At the end of that time he found himself with a little less than 3,000,000 bushels bought for November delivery. None of the traders understood the deal. They knew Phillips had little ready money and thought he had lost his head or was filling commission orders for some of the big houses.

Phillips kept his own counsel. Ten days of November had passed before anybody in the trade began to realize that November corn was a scarce article. The demand was such as to take most of the corn in stock for shipment. The price was steadily advancing and held every point gained. The market went gradually to 40 cents. Phillips' greatest worry at this time was to keep the price down. It was becoming known that he had bought a big line, more corn than there was for delivery, and those who had sold him were becoming a little agitated. If the price went up, Phillips knew cash corn would be forthcoming in greater quantities, and, while he was glad to see the farmers profit by his purchase of the stock in sight for immediate delivery, he was not ready for it. The price went up on the demand in spite of him. Then the big operators, knowing who had the corn, knowing his limited resources, immediately called for 10 per cent margins. The margins were paid, much to the disappointment of the big elevator interests. But they were determined to down the young speculative star which had sprung into existence and had outwitted them in their own market before they knew it. They had money, and they had corn. They began to deliver corn. They took it around to Phillips in small lots at first of 10,000, 20,000 and 30,000 bushels, and again to their disappointment they saw the corn taken. Phillips could handle these small lots because it did not take much money.

The big operators who were caught had to begin to work the big drying plants to get corn to deliver. They were apparently willing to spend $1,000,000 to bankrupt young Phillips or make him sell his line of corn. Therefore they spent money freely to buy new and wet corn, paying more for it than they had sold contract corn to Phillips for. They could not get the corn ready for delivery short of 45 cents a bushel with anything like even money for themselves. They preferred to do this rather than pay a few thousands each to the young man who had run them into a corner at their own game in the way of a settlement. That would be a public recognition of the young trader, and that would mean business to him.

When the big elevator interests began dumping corn on him, Phillips needed ready cash to take care of it. His friend, Dan Hill, was ready to hypothecate his property, but property cannot be sold every hour of the day. He had to have cash. Hill stood firmly by the young broker and was impressed with his enthusiasm, and Phillips, with his knowledge, went to a representative Chicago financier of unlimited means. This man's name is withheld by his own request. He did not purchase a bushel of corn for himself and seeks no publicity. He had opportunity of getting all the ready cash he might need from any Chicago banking house, as his name to a check commands millions. The acquaintance with Phillips was only slight, but the capitalist knew of the young man as an honest, shrewd fellow. He knew him to be clever. The details of the deal were carefully explained. It was pointed out how there could be no possibility of loss, with the chance of big money in the deal. So great was the confidence of this gentleman in Phillips' brain and his ability to beat the crowd that opposed him that, without bond or security of any kind, he told Phillips to draw on him for whatever money he needed. And from that moment Phillips knew he controlled the market with an iron hand.

IMITATOR OF SHELDON.

Rev. Dr. Parker Tells How He Will Run the London Sun.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker, who will edit the London Sun the week before Christmas, said to the New York Journal London correspondent:

"I shall not conduct the paper on Sheldonian ideas. I have no desire to create an ideal newspaper; that will come when ideal society comes and not before. But I shall conduct it on religious lines, in no sense sectarian, theological or denominational, and shall endeavor to make it a paper all honest men can read, giving it a thorough religious and moral tone. Betting and gambling in every form will be excluded; there will be no reports of horse races, prizefights, stock markets or kindred professional gambling.

"Should a murder occur I shall report it, probably comment on it, but shall not send the staff out in quest of disagreeable details. There will be no sensationalism, but a simple, unvarnished statement of facts. Certain police court news will be allowed and some court news that is interesting, instructive or useful in pointing a moral.

"London is a dangerous place for the experiment. The American press is far more liberal in recognition of religion and religious instruction than the English has ever been. A preacher here might deliver as fine a discourse as ever Christ did and not a daily paper would give the faintest notice of it.

"I shall have full control, with the entire staff at my disposal, but I shall interfere as little in the advertising as possible except to keep out notices tending to immorality or not in harmony with the policy of the paper."

Carrier Pigeons For the British Navy.

The Prince of Wales lately had a splendid pigeon house built near Sandringham castle, where carrier pigeons are trained by experts. The prince intends to put his pigeon house at the disposal of the British navy. The naval experiments with carrier pigeons have hitherto been unsuccessful because its pigeon houses situated on the coast were poorly organized. The best breed of Belgian carrier pigeons, which are famous all over the world, may be found at Sandringham, says the Brussels correspondent of the Chicago Record, and the prince has given big prices for carriers that won prizes in important competitions in Belgium.

A Way to the Sultan's Heart.

Perhaps the Kentucky would do more to soften the sultan's heart, says the Baltimore American, if it introduced the mint julep to his country.

A Wintry Carol.

Now the hills by huntsmen trod
Wave with flags of goldenrod;
Summer's languid sweets are lost;
In the furrow gleams the frost.

Ring, oh, ring, ye merry bells!
Run, ye rabbits, in the dells!
Ring, ye woodlands, with delight
To the whirring of bobwhite!

Oh, the merry winter days!
Oh, the fun in all the ways!
With the candy pulling sweet
And the fiddler's patting feet!

Crack your whips until the sound
Echoes all the roadway round.
See the blue smoke as it curls;
There'll be dancing with the girls!
—F. L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

WOMEN MUST SLEEP.

Avoid Nervous Prostration.

If you are dangerously sick what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well.

Friends ask, "what is the cause?" and the answer comes in pitying tones, nervous prostration. It came upon you so quietly in the beginning, that you were not alarmed, and when sleep deserted you night after night until your eyes fairly burned in the darkness, then you tossed in nervous agony praying for sleep.

MRS. A. HARTLEY.

You ought to have known that when you ceased to be regular in your courses, and you grew irritable without cause, that there was serious trouble somewhere.

You ought to know that indigestion, exhaustion, womb displacements, fainting, dizziness, headache, and backache send the nerves wild with affright, and you cannot sleep.

Mrs. Hartley, of 221 W. Congress St., Chicago, Ill., whose portrait we publish, suffered all these agonies, and was entirely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; her case should be a warning to others, and her cure carry conviction to the minds of every suffering woman of the unfailing efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO NARROW NORTH METCALF STREET.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the City Council of Lima, Ohio, for the narrowing of north Metcalf street, from McKibben street to the north line of outlot number 59, by vacating a strip about 12 or 15 feet wide off of the east side of said street between said points.

Said petition will be for hearing and final action by the City Council after six weeks publication of this notice.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

Lima, O., Jan. 25, 1901. fr&sat-6w

PNEUMONIA CAN BE CURED.

This disease always results from a cold or an attack of grip and may be prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. That remedy was extensively used during the epidemics of la grippe of the past few years, and not a single case has ever been reported that did not recover of that resulted in pneumonia, which shows it to be a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained a world wide reputation for its cures of colds and grip. For sale by all druggists.

Must Not Answer Certain Call.

At the classical court theater in Weimar no actor is now permitted to answer a certain call. The manager announces to the public that such appearances before the footlights are "unartistic and obsolete, foolish and in bad taste."

Montana's Three Ex-Governors.

Ex-Govs. Richards, Smith and Toole, the only three men who have been Montana's governors since that territory became a state, were all in attendance at the inaugural ball in honor of the fourth governor.

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

Removes Dog's False Teeth.

A fat baker appeared in a Paris court to have a woman fined for keeping a rabid dog, which he claimed had bit him, inoculating him with rabies. When he was through with his complaint, the woman put the dog on the judge's desk and removed from its mouth a set of false teeth.

HAD TO CONQUER OR DIE.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., "I had consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in consumption, pneumonia, la grippe and bronchitis; infallible for coughs, colds, asthma, hay fever, croup or whooping cough. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North sts.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Pittsb'gh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Div.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Schedule of Passenger Trains—Central Time

Westward.	21	9	15	31	39	35
	AM	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Pittsb'gh lv	*1 05	*7 00	*5 00	*3 55		
Alliance ar	3 25	9 20	6 50	5 45		
Canton lv	4 00	9 58	7 24	6 20		
Massillon "	4 12	10 10	7 36	6 32		
Wooster "	4 55	10 55	8 21	7 15		
Mansfield "	6 10	12 05	9 32	8 25		
Crestline ar	6 37	12 35	10 00	8 52		
Crestline lv	6 45	12 40	10 01	8 55		
Robinson "						
Bucyrus "	7 04	1 00	10 21	9 15		
Nevada "						
U Sandusky "	7 29	1 23	10 47	9 40		
Kirby "						
Forest "						
Dunkirk "						
Washington "						
Ada "		2 08		10 34		
Lafayette "						
Lima "	8 35	2 25	1 49	10 50		
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The annual immigration of the world's greatest musicians to the United States will be completed soon, and it should be an encouraging thought to Americans that Europe has sent here her most eminent performers, with but few exceptions, in every department of executive musical art, says the New York Sun. The advance guard of the Maurice Grau Opera company has brought over a large number distinguished in the operatic field, and there are more to follow. By the time the American season is well under way European cities will hear only those performers who are not in demand

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JEAN DE RESZKE.

here or who for business rather than artistic reasons remain abroad. One instance of these is Ignace Paderewski. His tours here are more profitable than those ever undertaken by any other single performer, but they could not be repeated annually, and an interval of one or two seasons is always necessary in order to make the returns from every tour anything like so large as they have been in the past. For the same reason Mlle. Calve, who sings practically but two roles nowadays, must wait until the public grows once more anxious to see her in "Carmen" or "Faust" before she again returns. Similar motives explain the absence of the few great artists who are not to be before the American public this year.

Among the world's great singers to be heard here during the winter are Jean de Reszke, Ernest Van Dyck, Albert Saleza, Edouard de Reszke, Pol Plancon, Antonio Scotti, Giuseppe Campanari, Theodor Bertram, Marcella Sembrich, Milka Ternina, Nellie Melba, Lillian Nordica, Johanna Gadski and Ernestine Schumann-Heink. Lucienne Breval and Margaret MacIntyre, who are to be heard for the first time in this country in opera, are interesting because of the national elements they represent. Mlle. Breval embodies the traditions of the National Academy of Music of France, which is the formal title of the grand opera house in Paris. Miss MacIntyre is English and is the first English woman to be heard in grand opera here, for Mme. Albani was born in this country.

Jean de Reszke's visit has particular significance this year because it will in all probability be his last. He is still much younger than the great Marjo, who sang until he was 61. But M. de Reszke's year of retirement which preceded his appearance last spring in London did not improve his vocal condition, and, although he is today only 51 years old, he has evidently realized that a tenor's career must some time have an end. It is certainly true that 51 is a mature age for Romeo, but for a tenor it is not advanced when one considers that Sims Reeves sang first in 1839 at the age of 21 and did not show signs of vocal weakness until he was more than 55. Another interesting incident of the Polish tenor's return this year is the compensation he is to receive. For every performance he will get $2,450, the largest sum ever paid to a singer here for one appearance, and he will sing twice a week during a season of at least 20 weeks. On his last engagement he sang for $2,250 a performance. Previous to that year he had received a fixed salary and a percentage of the receipts over a certain sum.

Of his two associates, Albert Saleza and Ernest Van Dyck, the former may be said to be at the beginning of his career as one of the great tenors of contemporary operatic history, and none seems so likely to take M. de Reszke's place in the future. He is 33 and in the French repertory, such as "Romeo et Juliette," "Faust" and "Carmen," has already distinguished himself over all the younger singers of his time. The Wagner roles are still unexplored territory to him so far as his American career is concerned, although he has sung Siegmund in Paris. But with such a tried singer of Wagner roles as Ernest Van Dyck near him, there will be no need for the French tenor to attempt that field just now. M. Van Dyck satisfies the dramatic requirements of those roles, and Jean de Reszke, if he continues in good health, will be heard more frequently in the Wagner operas than in the other works which he has formerly sung here. These three men are the greatest in their field that the European opera houses possess, and the Polish singer is perhaps the greatest tenor the stage has known. It is interesting, in view of the degree to which the United States monopolizes the services of the great singers, that M. de Reszke since he first sang here ten years ago has appeared in Russia only a few times and for a limited number of performances at the Covent Garden season. He came here a poor man and has a fortune now.

Both Mmes. Sembrich and Melba, the two greatest colature sopranos of their time, are to be heard here. Mme. Sembrich, who represents the art of song as it existed only in Adelina Patti until her practical retirement began, will sing in song recitals and with her own company in the Italian operas with which her reputation is associated. The Polish soprano is the only woman who occupies in a way the same position before the public that Ignace Paderewski does. Her song recitals as given in New York and Boston last winter require only her services and an accompanist. As the profits of these performances amount to $3,000 on the average, she is to devote her time to them and operatic performances in the cities not to be visited by the opera company. Eminent with her in the light colature operas is Nellie Melba, who remained last winter in Europe. She is the popular Marguerite and Juliette of audiences that are satisfied with the natural beauty of her flutelike voice and the brilliancy of her vocalization in the florid music of these roles. Mme. Melba has, through the possession of these qualities in such a high degree, proved that a woman may come to great fame on the operatic stage without the gift of histrionic ability. She has come to fortune as well during the ten years she has sung here. Mme. Melba made her first appearance 13 years ago and came to New York in 1893. During that first season she sang for $900 a performance, and this year her compensation will be twice that sum.

Milka Ternina is one of he younger artists for America, although her fame in Germany has been established for the last decade, and she came rather inconspicuously to the United States five years ago with one of Walter Damrosch's opera companies. Mlle. Ternina is regarded today as the greatest of the Wagnerian singers who are to carry on the traditions of the school of Lilli Lehmann, Theresa Malten and the great women who have left no successors in their own country except this soprano. She differs from them in that her style is less heroic and vigorous, but she is superior to all in possessing a method of song more finished and artistic than any of them ever boasted. Mlle. Ternina is now approaching the end of the thirties and is thus at the very height of her powers. Women as well trained as she sing better at the age of 40 and thereabout than when they are younger, and it requires indeed the full maturity of their talents to enable them to do justice to the great dramatic roles they interpret. Mme. Eames has said that she will not attempt Isolde until she is 40, and that shows her conception of the difficulties of the role. Mlle. Ternina is a native of Croatia, and her first language was Italian. She has lived in Germany since her musical career began, and her education for the lyric stage was acquired from German teachers.

Mme. Schumann-Heink, the famous Wagnerian contralto, returns under particularly interesting circumstances, as it is probable that she will not be heard here after this season. Her large family is kept in her home near Dresden, and she must be separated from them during the greater part of every year. She is a member of the company at the Royal Opera House in Berlin and has to be released on long leave of absence to come here for her American tours. She has already told her friends that she intends to remain in Germany after this season and sing regularly in Berlin.

The other notable figures in this cohort of great singers are Edouard de Reszke, Pol Plancon, Antonio Scotti and Giuseppe Campanari. These four men lend themselves readily to classification. For natural beauty of voice Edouard de Reszke and Giuseppe Campanari would be named first, yet for the highest finish and musicianship in their art Pol Plancon and Antonio Scotti are more eminent.

Of the most distinguished American singers, who are practically foreigners so far as their way of life goes and come to their native land only to fill their engagements and then return to Europe, the most eminent will be missing this year. Mme. Emma Eames is not in good health and will remain at her home in Paris during the winter. Mme. Nordica is to be heard with the opera company, and it is rather against the tendency of operatic affairs that she is this year to receive a higher compensation than she ever did before. Mme. Nordica has sung in opera since 1878, and it usually happens that the earnings of the women singers decline after a certain period. Mme. Nordica took to the heavy Wagner roles, however, and began five years ago an entirely new career, which has brought her more eminence than any of her previous efforts had. Her great success came late, and it is for that reason that she is now receiving a larger salary than she ever did before. Probably $60,000 will be the extent of the profit from her year's work, and that is a sum that ought to satisfy any singer, even in the United States.

MAN A PARADOX.

Incidents That Go to Prove the Truth of the Foregoing.

Being a man who does more thinking than talking and who is generally regarded as taciturn, his family were rather surprised when he laid down a standard magazine of the day and proceeded with a talk that suggested the propriety of his being on a platform. "I am no rose-water sentimentalist. I never allowed my heart to run away with my head. I have an individual entity as clearly defined as that of any man. I know how to reason and I'm not afraid of my conclusion. I'm dead set against anarchy, socialism, communism and the whole nest of kindred vipers." That was his exordium, says the Detroit Free Press. "But I've been reading an article here that just meets my views. I have what they call the money making faculty and have always prospered. But I believe with this writer that we should be more liberal with men and women who are not thus favored. When they work for us, share with them. Give them a good, generous show. Live and let live, those are my sentiments." "I feel the same way," ventured his wife. "This very afternoon I raised the girl's wages 75 cents a week." "You did? Well, that's a pretty howdy-do. Funny you wouldn't make it a couple of dollars more. You must think that I find money or have it sent to me by the government. I've been telling for years how thrifty and economical you were. Guess you must have lost your grip. You've got to get even with that girl by charging her up with all time lost, everything wasted, broken dishes and the use of the sewing machine. I'm no national bank." Then he was called to the kit[illegible] by the man who put up the storm door. There was a war of words because the man wanted a dollar and the head of the house stuck at 50 cents. After they had split the difference and jawed as long as they could hear each other, the husband and father seized the book he had been reading, flung it into the corner and went to bed three hours before his usual time.

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And the Various Companies Have Been Prepared for Prompt Mobilization All Day---Telegram From Governor Nash Received This Afternoon.

Thus may briefly be pronounced the result of the long drawn out controversy and legal fight brought about by the Saengerfest committee to pull off the contest between Champion Jefferies and the Akron giant at Cincinnati tomorrow night.

The entire country has been waiting with mixed feelings of hope and alarm, upon the decision of Judge Hollister and the delay in getting the court to decide the matter has greatly disturbed the arrangements of the promoters, the principals and the men who had hoped in this way to recover from the losses occasioned by the recent great national musical festival.

The history of the "celebrated case" is well known to everybody who has been watching the columns of the press devoted to the ins and outs of a deal which startled the religious elements of the state, and now that the first whack at the courts has resulted favorably to those opposing the contest, they will

Rest on Their Oars

to await the next move. Judge Hollister's decision is but the opinion of one man, and it has been the expressed sentiment of the Saengerfest committee to await that opinion and then merely postpone the event until the higher courts should either sustain or contradict the opinion. In either case an appeal would have been taken as the final decision is one which vitally effects the stand the authorities might be permittted to take should another such situation present itself.

But the life has been taken out of it now, and interest will gradually subside until there is some positive assurance that the men who are contending for the fistic championship of the world are assured of a match which will brook no intervention. From a conservative point of view it is perhaps well that Judge Hollister's decision was favorable to an injunction. Without it, the attitude of Governor Nash to throw the regiments of the National Guard into Cincinnati, would have been

Followed by Bloodshed

beyond a doubt. It might have meant the loss of one life; perhaps a dozen, perhaps a hundred. Cincinnati had one riot and the reputation of that city under such conditions is one to suggest the gravest consideration before resorting to such an extreme.

Some idea of the interest which the controversy has occasioned could have been gained by a visitor at the Times-Democrat office today, when from

All Over the City

came telephone inquiries from those who were anxious to know the result of Judge Hollister's legal diagnosis. The report from Cincinnati came early by wire and the sentiment of those who were on the anxious seat was plainly expressed in the replies. Disappointment and gratification in turn indicated a division of sentiment which plainly expressed the absorbing interest taken in the disturbing proposition.

Then came unconfirmed rumors of new arrangements that would hold the advance crowd in Cincinnati. A flatboat on the river was one of the suggestions, but such a come-down from the elaborate arrangements would hardly be considered and there could in such an event be but little in it for anyone.

Second Ohio Ready.

For several days the officers and men of the Second Ohio regiment, under instructions from the National Guard headquarters at Columbus, have been making preparations to go to Cincinnati should Gov. Nash deem it necessary, in his judgment, to send troops there to prevent the contest between Jeffries and Rhulin. The court martial which was in session in Cleveland adjourned with next Monday set as the date to re-convene, and Col. Ream, who is a member of the court came home to prepare for service. The officers of the various companies were ordered to keep in touch with their men so that the regiment could be mobilized on short notice and if, at noon today, Gov. Nash had ordered out the Second Ohio the regiment would have been concentrated in this city and ready to go to Cincinnati by 5 o'clock this evening.

This morning Col. Ream received orders to hold his command in readiness for immediate mobilization and the instructions were promptly fulfilled. The members of the colonel's staff, with the exception of Capt. Price, the inspector of rifle practice, who has been out of the city for several days, have been at the regimental headquarters most of the time and the members of the local companies, C. and K. were prepared to secure their accouterments and "fall in" at a moment's notice. Quite a number of the boys even donned their uniforms and expected to eat tomorrow morning's breakfast in Cincinnati amid scenes of rioting and bloodshed. Col. Ream's advices from Columbus this morning were accompanied by an assurance that further information would be forwarded at 1 o'clock this afternoon and at 1:27 o'clock the following telegram was received over the Western Union lines from Gov. Nash:

Columbus, O., Feb. 14

Col. James I. Ream, Lima, Ohio.—Present indications the military will not be needed in Cincinnati. Companies notified.

GEO. K. NASH, Governor.
Commander in Chief.

The telegram banished the expectations of the military men and they do not now anticipate any need of their services in the Queen City. They will however await the outcome of Judge Hollister's decision with great interest and will hold themselves in readness to go into active service at any time the aid of troops shall be deemed necessary.

FRED PHALIN

Wanted at McCartyville for Assault and Battery.

Concerning Phalin, who was arrested here night before last and turned over to the police of Sidney, the Sidney News says:

"Chief of Police O'Leary went to Lima this morning after Fred Phalin, formerly of McCartyville, who is wanted for assault and battery. There has been a warrant out for him for about a year, on account of a fight that took place in McCartyville. Phalin is under arrest at Lima and will be brought here this evening."

A DASTARDLY DEED.

Troy, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Lizzie Mayley, aged 16, was caught by a man on State street last night, who cut her hair close to her head and then pasted the balance to her head with some sticky substance. The police are looking for him.

F——I——S——H at Townsend's.

M. O. RESLER NOT GUILTY.

The action brought by Wilson J. Peters against M. O. Resler charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses, has been on trial before a judge and jury at Troy, Ohio, for two days. It took the jury just twelve minutes to select a foreman, find a verdict of not guilty and return the same into court.

It seemed much like the machinery of the criminal law was being used to force settlement.

Mr. Resler was defended by G. T. Thomas, of Troy, and R. C. Eastman, of Lima.

COWS. COWS.

I will have a No. 1 load of milk cows at Beaver Dam on Saturday next, all for sale. Parties wanting good cows would do well to see me.

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F——I——S——H at Townsend's.

Skating at McCullough's tonight.

THE ERIE

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By the Fast Train No. 5—One of the New Types of Engines Now in Use Thought to be Top-heavy.

The records of the railway mail service bestow a very neat compliment upon one of the Erie trains, the fast passenger No. 5. The records show that the train reached its destination at Chicago on time more times during the year just closed than any train in the country with a similar run, and that during the year its record for upholding a schedule was generally better than any other train carrying the United States mail. Of course, this record does not hold good as to trains making short runs of one hundred miles or more, or even less, but when it comes to running nearly 1,000 miles the Erie train record is a noted one.

CAUSE OF ERIE WRECK.

The wreck of the limited at Greenville last Thursday has furnished the officials of the Erie with a problem that they will find considerable difficulty in solving.

Since the wreck a careful examination of the track has failed to reveal any evidence of a break in the rails, spikes or connecting links. Experts are now agreed that the new Atlantic type of locomotives recently purchased by the Erie are top-heavy, and that the center of gravity is too high for an engine running around a curve at the speed that was maintained when the Greenville wreck occurred.

It is now a question whether it will be cheaper to buy new engines or to cut down the curves. It means that one or the other must come.

ENGINEER

Donovan Wedded at Fremont Yesterday

And Will Bring His Bride to Lima to Make Their Future Home.

Engineer Patrick Donovan, of the Lake Erie & Western, whose nuptials were announced at St. Rose church a short time ago, was married at Freemont yesterday morning and the many friends of the popular groom are showering him with congratulations. The Fremont Messenger has the following account of the ceremony:

Miss Sarah Rock, of this city, and Mr. Patrick Donovan, of Lima, were this morning united in marriage at St. Ann's church, Rev. Father McCloskey officiating. Miss Rock is a well-known young lady of this city and has many friends who wish her happiness. Mr. Donovan is a well-known Lake Erie & Western engineer and has many friends both in this city and Lima, his home. Miss Rock was attended by Miss Mary Beehler, of this city, and was beautifully dressed. Mr. John Donovan attended his brother, the groom. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's brother after the ceremony. They have the best wishes of their many Fremont friends for a long and happy life.

DEATH'S HAND

Suddenly Fell Upon Mrs. Mary M. Rost.

Death Resulted After a Brief Illness From Neuralgia of the Stomach —Aged Sixty-eight Years.

Mrs. Mary M. Rost, an aged widow died at her home, No. 727 north West street, last midnight, death resulting from neuralgia of the stomach after an illness of only twelve hours' duration.

The deceased was 68 years of age. She was born in Maryland and had been a resident of this city for many years. She is survived by three daughters and one son, the latter being Fred Rost, a well known young man.

Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed.

Skating at McCullough's tonight.

STILL

Another of Many Failures.

Her Marriage

Had But Little Happiness in It,

Says Mrs. Lelia Wiley, Who Charges Her Husband With Cruelty.

Jury Was Dismissed From Service Today, But Will Have a Variation Offered When Court Convenes Monday.

Mrs. Lelia Wiley has filed a suit for divorce, on the ground of grossest neglect of duty and extreme cruelty. She tells of frequent instances in which she was shamefully abused and accuses her husband of associating with bad women.

LOST HIS CASE.

In direct contrast to the Verbyke-Ensien case which occupied so much of the court's attention, was the Daley vs. Shaw civil suit of yesterday. It took but one day to get all of the evidence before the jury, and a verdict was returned yesterday evening, finding in favor of the defendant. The jury decided from the testimony that Daley had no action against the company, as it appeared that he was employed by a second party. He worked as a driller on a West Virginia lease and claimed he had contracted with Shaw for $4 a day and his wages amounted to $520.

ACTION AGAINST THE CITY.

Carl Mathias, in an action filed yesterday, asks for damages in the sum of $1,189 for extras furnished in building the Timberlake sewer. He claims to have entered into a contract to do the stone work, but found that he was hindered by underground sewers that were not down in the plans furnished him. The water backed into the sewer he was building and greatly interfered with the contractor's progress, putting him, he says, to the expense of supplying many extras.

CRIMINAL COURT MONDAY.

Beginning with next Monday there will be a variation in common pleas court proceedings, civil cases giving way to criminal actions. The first to be tried will be Charles Rush, who was indicted for breaking into Dr. Rudy's home at Harrod and chloroforming his daughter. He was indicted for burglary.

A DAY OF REST.

There was no need of the services of the petit jury today, the case of Ed. Christen vs. the L. E. & W. railroad for damages on account of the killing of a couple of fine horses, being continued. Tomorrow two cases are assigned for trial, to-wit: The Fidelity Deposite Co. vs. Harry C. Richmond, and Louisa F. Emelich vs. Charles Ackerman.

A GRAND JURY VICTIM.

Riley Point, who was indicted by the grand jury for assault and battery, was arrested by officer Mills and turned over to Sheriff Bogart to await the result of his trial.

NOTES.

Judge Armstrong, of Celina, was in the city over night, returning home after work which engaged his attention at Wapakoneta.

Judge Davies, of Sidney, who was appointed by Gov. Nash to fill the unexpired term of Judge Mooney, was registered at the Norval last night.

Walter Helverson, who was put in jail about two months ago upon failure to furnish bond when arrested upon a peace warrant, was released today.

DRUNKEN MAN

Frightened Two Street Railway Employes Last Night.

Shortly before 12 o'clock last night two street railway employes, while walking on south Main street near Elm street, laughed at a drunken man who slipped and fell on the street. The intoxicated individual chased them to the public square and then they rushed to the police station for protection, claiming the man had attempted to stab them with a knife. The drunken man was taken in charge by an officer but was not locked up.

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Some very good fur pieces in coats, scarfs and collarettes at ridiculously low prices for the quality.
$3.75 animal scarfs, of electric seal, head and claws, for $2.50.
$3.50 natural opossum scarf, 8 natural opossum fur tails, for $2.50.
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FOURTEENTH

Annual Recital of the Sappho Club

Held Last Evening at the C. C. Miller Home.

Charming Program Was Rendered by the Members—Other Recent Social Events Which Have Been Enjoyed.

Last evening the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller was opened to the members of the Sappho club and their guests, there being about eighty-five in all. Seats were conveniently placed in the back parlor and the dining room for the spectators and the reception hall was given to the ones taking part in the program, which was as follows:

Paper—Songs of Seven.....
Mrs. W. A. Campbell.
Childhood Seven Times One.
A The Jap Doll.....Jessie Gaynor
B The Gingerbread Man.....
.....Jessie Gaynor
Mrs. W. E. Clark.
Spring Song.....Mendelsohn
Mrs. M. J. Johnston, and
Mrs. R.J. Thomson.
Picture—Children at Play.....
Ruth Steuber, Walter Cooney and
Leon Miller.
Romance—Seven Times Two.....
Oh, Skylark for Thy Wing.....Smart
Sweetest May .....Mrs. D. O.Evans
Mesdames Wells, Longsworth, Hoyt, Black, Cooney, Truesdale and Deakin.
Miserere .....Verdie
Mrs. F. E. Steuber.
Picture—The Fortune Teller.....
Misses Carolyn Truesdale, Mary Longsworth, Lillian Campbell and Mildred Adams and Mr. Paul Steuber.
Love—Seven Times Three.....
My Valentine.....Jessie Gaynor
Mrs. Baxter.
Love Song .....Paderewski
Mrs. Davis.
Picture—The Queen of Hearts.....
Mrs. H. Moulton, Misses Lillian Campbell, Mary Longsworth and Mildred Adams and Cupid.
Maternity—Seven Times Four.....
Slumber Song .....Newcomb
Mrs. Wm. Deakin.
Cradle Song.....Greig
Mrs. E. M. Decker.
Picture—Mother and Children.....
Mrs. A. E. McDonnell.
Religious Seven Times Five.....
The Heavenly Song.....H. Gray
Mrs. M. E. Sealts.
Adagio..... Beethoven
Mrs. H. B. Adams.
Picture—The Choir Boy.....
Mr. Paul Steuber.
Giving in Marriage Seven Times Six.
"Nothing to Say".....Riley
Mrs. C. F. Lufkin.
Call Me Thine Own.....Karl Merz
Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.
Picture—Bridal Scene.....
Mr. and Mrs. Baxter.
Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt.
Longing for Home-Seven Times Seven.
The Old Man Dreams.....J. P. Webster
Mrs. R. Truesdale.
Picture—The Old Man's Vision.....
Mr. I. R. Longsworth.
Last Hope .....Gottschalk
Mrs. S. S. Wheeler.

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Saturday afternoon Mrs. Thomas Laney, of west Market street, will entertain a number of friends.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warner, of north West street, entertained a few friends at a dinner.

Yesterday afternoon the cozy home of Mrs. Charles Banta, on south Collet street, was filled with about fifty ladies who were nearly all interested in playing progressive pedro. The prize winners were Mrs. Will Hay, who won a pretty cake plate and Mrs. C. F. Lufkin, who won a sterling spoon. The approach of St. Valentine's day was heralded in various ways.

Tuesday Mrs. E. A. Cheurrant, of west Spring street, entertained the A. O. T. club very pleasantly. The interesting progressive pedro contest gave prizes to Mrs. T. West, who received a dainty bonbon spoon; Mrs. P. Agerter an after dinner cup and saucer. Mrs. Murdock won the consolation prize, a pin cushion. The guests were: Mesdames Argue, Peck, Hume, Murdock, Woolery, McDonell, Hollister, Davis, Burges, Morris, Vail, Burton, Colt, Francis, West and Miss Maier.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Sullivan, of west North street, entertained the F. S. E. club on Tuesday evening. The guests present were Mrs. Karl Kirk, of Toledo and Mr. and Mrs. Asa Catt.

Monday evening Miss Rose Leonard, of west Vine street, was given a pretty surprise in the form of a linen shower. The ladies participating in the affair were Mesdames A. J. Lewis, L. Lossee, A. Bradley, M. Lewellyn, W. M. Scott, E. M. Finnell, Charles Lewis, M. G. Harper, M. Durnbaugh, O. Oliver, and Misses Mary and Lulu Dalzell, Josie and Sadie Dunan, May Lossee, Zella Smith, Nellie Patton, Agusta Shuler, Nellie Shreeve and Margaret and Julia Leonard. The gifts of lovely table linen were placed on the dining table and the prospective bride given the pleasure of inspecting them, then all enjoyed a happy hour with light refreshments.

The Beethoven Musical club met with Miss Mae Longmeier last evening. A dainty lunch was served, and all present spent a very profitable evening.

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